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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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ORDERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 5TH JANUARY, 1895. FIELD BATTERY.

For Duty Lieut. MACHELL and Sergeant No. 174.—DRILLS-FRIDAY, at 5.30 P.M. 64 Pr. and Company; Plain Clothes. SATURDAY-ANNUAL COURSE of MES-RETEVAL Kowloon, Muster at 2.15 P.M. at HEAD Book your Seats early at KELLY & WALSH'S. QUARTERS. Launch to leave Pedder's Wharf at 2.30 P.M., Kowloon Detachment can join on Misses E. N., & M. D'ARC. Sole Proprietors.

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GENERAL. No. 177.—The ANNUAL MOBILIZATION OF the same being at the Rate of 10 Per Cent per THE GARRISON having been fixed for the period annum on the paid up Capital of the Office for 15th to 19th January. His Excellency the Major. the year 1894. General Commanding has invited the Corps to The TRANSFER SOOKS of the Company participate as under:— will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st

FIELD BATTERY.—In the night opera- instant, both days inclusive. tions on THURSDAY EVENING, the 17th January, to man the 64 pr. Gune, South SHORE BATTERY, STONECUTTER'S ISLAND; and in the oper tions of SATURDAY AFTER-MOON, the 19th January, with 7 Pr. Battery, MACHINE G N COMPANY, on the afternoon of THURSDAY, the 17th January, and SATURDAY, the 19th January. The Acting Commandant truets that all Members will endeavour to be present. No. 178.-AMBULANCE CLASS

WEDNESDAY, 2nd January, at 5 45 P.M. By Order C. S. TAYLOR. Adjutant H.K.V.C. Bead Quarters,

ongkang; 29th December, 1894. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

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Hongkoug, 28th December, 1894.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

FITHERE will be ARTILLERY PRAC-TICE (7 pdr.) from the shore below Kowloon Dock Battert, in an Easterly direction, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 29th instant, between the hours of 3 aud 5 P.M. All Vessels and Junks are cautioned to keep out of the line of Fire.

By Command. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 27th December, 1894,

NEW YEAR HOLIDAY. N accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875 the Undermentioned BANKS will be

CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on TUESDAY, the let January, 1895. FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-TRALIA, AND CHINA. A. C. MARSHALL, Mausger, Hongkong. FOR THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

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DAY), 29th iostant. HART BUCK. Acting Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 25th December, 1894.

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Canton 28th December, General.- 1. M.

8 N. Co. Dec. 28; NAMOA, British str., 863, Harris, Foochow 25th Dec., Amoy 26th, and Swatow 1 27th, General .- DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Dec. 28, HOTHOW, British str., 896, Saies, Chinking 23rd Dec., Rico,-BUTTERFIELD &

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Hongkons, December 29rn, 1804.

THE Insanitary Dwellings Bill passed last further purchases at present. Nevertheless. Board to order domiciliary visits, which favourably with those for the corresponding may be made at any time, either by day or period of last year. The total shipments from night. We must trust to the Board to exer Glasgow since the beginning of this year are, case the power with discretion, and no corresponding period of 1893. Copper has lost doubt the public will feel greater confidence some 20s. per ton during the month, and is weak in its right use when entrusted to a semi- at present. The has quite given way, being representative body than if any individual Spelfer also is some los, per ton lower, but is for forced sale. Government official were made responsible now firmer. Lead has given way slightly and in for it. The reasons advanced in support of steady at present. the necessity of inspection were weighty. and, as regards certain classes of houses, vesterday morning. Baron de Grandmaison, convincing, but it would have been prudent who arrived here from Madagascar, on the 28th to place some limitation on the use of the power. No one disputes the and the surrounding countries, but in coninspection in the of common lodging houses, and from these to the tenement houses let off in cubicles to of taking hypodermically for the relief of an arrate families is but, a step. According to the Acting Colonial Secretary, at the time performance. On his return be retired to his of the plague inspections it was found that room at the Hotel, and in the morning was disthe latter class of houses were more overcrowded than the former. Although it moned and he was attended throughout Thors. cannot be supposed that nightly inspections day and during the whole of the night by Dr. will be welcomed by the occupants of tenement houses, they will perhaps not be actively efforts to revive him proved, however, ineffectual, resented. The circumstances under which and he died about five colock yesterday morning. these people live do not allow them much privacy at any time and the visit of gentleman was only twenty-are years of age and the Inspector will not wound their aus. was in the enjoyment, it is said of a private invery much. But in the case of the better class of houses occupied by a single family, or where the Lodge of Hongkong and South China was held whole of one floor is occupied by one family, Grand Master, Hon. C. P. Chater, appointed it is to be feared that the Inspector's visits his follows and investor those made during the night will be considered a who were present in D.S.G.W. Wor. Bro. F. W. Henermann D.G.I.W. Wor. Bro. W. real grievance. The Atterney-General cays Baker. D.G. Chaplain. Bro S. St. Aldan that as the law stands an Inspector night Baylee; D.G. Treasurer, Wor. Bru. 8. visit his house, and the hon. gentle nan does derson; D.G. President of the Board of General not seem to think the visit would constitute Purposes, Wor. Brd. A. D. Dealli; D.G. Scoreany very great hardship. Lawmakers must tary, Wer. Bro At O'D. Gourdin; D.G S.D., be supposed to be willing to submit to the H. B. Marshall D.G. Supt. of Works. Wor. laws they establish, but with the ordinary Ber P. C. Simmond D.G. Dir of Ceremonies. Chinaman, unfamiliar with the object of Wor. Bro. G. A. Caldwell; D.G. Assist Dir. of fail to be acute. We know what the feeling G. McM. T. Thomson; D.G. Organst, Bro. C. would be so any town or all and T. Spofford; would be in any town or village in England D G. Assist. Pursulvent, Wor. Bro. F. Salinger if an Inspector went round the houses D.G. Stewards. Bro H. W. Robertson, Bro G during the hours of the night to ascer. Moffett, Brd. T. G. Gowhard, Bro. A. B. tain their condition either as regards Bond; D.G. Tyler, Bro. I. R. Grimble The cleanliness or overcrowding. And the feeling unofficial members of the Seard of General Purwill be vary much the same in Hongkong if the inspection be made general. But the law does not require inspection : if merely permits it, the provision being that "Any officer of the said Board specially au-"thorned by the Board and subject to such "directions as the Board may impose, may "enter and inspect at any time any dome-tie building for the purpose of ascertaining " whether such building or any part thereof " is in an overcrowded condition." Wo must look to the Sanitary Board, therefore, to exercise this great power with due distriction and to authorise inspection only in cases where there may be good prime facia reason to believe that overcrowding really exists. The ordinary common sense of the Board

may perhaps be considered a sufficient

will be succeeded by another G-verner, who Public Works, and Mr. A. B. Johnson, Crown would not be bound by any personal Solicitor, appeared for the Coverament in all be entirely eliminated from its administra-

M. Maurice Dajoan de la Batie has been ap pointed Consul for France at Mongton; The Douglas steamer Namog was decreted

hve hundridth vormes

fined \$15 for westing water. OYSTERS, DESSERT CHOCOLATE, BUT. at 10 pm. for Hough ay via Nagaraki and

> has now been completed and the opening of the through service was to be celebrated on the 24th Ant water compensation of the celebrated on the 24th dwellings which were overgrowded or occupied houses undesirable, and he valued the deprecision of the houses at not less than 30 per cent. clock, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying

The railway from Phu lang thuong to Languon

to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) Church, returning about 12 30. D'Aro's Marionettes will to-day give an illumi- be resu ad by the Crown, "upon payment of nated matines at four o'clock which will afford

the children an opportunity of a couple of hours' fun. The show is one to amuse both old and mentioned that though, by the Ordinance, no young and the audience is kept in laughter compensation was to be allowed to any subthroughout the entire performance. On the 22nd inst., ( Bishop Gendreau was

on his way to attend the epening of a new hospital at Hanoi he was shot at by a M. Peretti who used a rid but fortunately missed his aim. though the bullet passed though the linrisksha in which the Bishop was riding. The assailant was taking aim a second time when the rifls was struck out of his hand by a bystander. It is believed that M. Peretti, who is an old resident. had become incine.

The Amoy Chambar of Commerce has inserted he following advertisement in the Amoy Gasette in English and Chinese :- " \$50 Reward .- With reference to the vague and unsutheritative ramours of plague in Amoy, the Chamber of Commerce hereby offers the above reward to any person who shall bring to the notice and diagnosis of any Enropent qualified medical practitioner a case of bubonic plague contracted n Amoy -Amoy, 22nd December, 1894."

At Macso, on the evening of the 20th inst. we leave from the Echo Africania, while the editor of the Chinese newspaper Ching has tsung-pao was passing along the Rua Nora d'El Rei, he was assaulted by some Chinamen, one of whom threw a flask of sulphurie, soid at him. causing severe injuries to his face. children who were near were also injured, one of them severely, by the soid striking them. The men who committed the assault are still at

Meesrs, S. W. Hoyse & Co., in their report, dated Manchester, November 24th, say :- There is at present a progounced dulaces in the iron trade Prices of both Scotch and Cleveland iron bave drooped, though only slightly, since the beginping of the month, and there is very little bustness passing just now for any position. Most consumers have their requirements well covered for some little time ahead, and with the prevail ing dalpers and the end of the year approaching they are naturally not caring about making however, over 50,000 tons less than during the some £5 per ton cheaper, but is now firmer.

A sad death occurred at the Hongkong Hotel iust, and who intended joining Prince Henri d'Orleans in his travels in south-western China the next sale was made without my knowledge, seappose of illness come of to Hongkong for treatment, died from he is supposed, an overdoes of morphic, which he had been in the habit psin. It appears that he attended the theatre on Wednesday evening to see Miss Elsis Adair's covered to be suffering from the symptoms of orium poisoning. Medical assistance was sum-Hartigan and Dr. -tedman, with two of the sisters from the French convent as nursey. All The body was romered to the mortnery, and an inquest will probably be held .: The deceased come of £10,000 a year.

The annual meeting of the District Grand last night, when the Right Worshipful District Ceremonies Wor Bro. F. Cass: D.G. Sword Tonsallo Bro. C. S. Rogets and Bro. F. T. poses elected water Wor Bro. J. Bryant and Wor Bro. G. L. Tomlin.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DATEY PRESS." LONDON, 27th December THE CHINAJAPAN WAR It is officially announced in Yokohama that the Chinese have evacuated Newshwang and re-

THE WAZIEL EXPEDITION. The Demshods column destroyed the defences of two Waziri positions on Saturday. THE DUICH EXPEDITION TO

DOMBOK: The expeditionary force to Lombok has been disbanded, but two regiments remain to garrison

its past and its prospects and is many other con- that he had examined these houses and valued considering the population.

follow, we condense from the p coordings of the foot which at 3 cents a cubic foot would make coust, and discharged at Sydney. General, in order that the position of the Go-At the Police Court yesterday, before Com- veryment may be better indicated. We undera proper home Act on which to best the presunt auce had been framed. He drew the appoint the necessity of remaing, namely, that certain hoisting code penuant C., to convey men ashere portions of the said district have been found to be attention to the words "full and fair compount. fion" in eaction 5 and pointed out that these words were apparently taken from the old Crown In addition to the usual evening performance | leases, which provide that the land demised may full and fair consideration," to be assessed by the Director of Public Works. He farther erms or tenant, in the case of any house unfit

> basis in this respect as that on which subesses or tenants are treated. The method of procedure in each once is now fixed and the investigations move along 'rapidly. First, the rentals are looked into, examining therefor both the witheres for the plaintiff and the records of the assassor's office, and then may other person that can threw any tight on what rental of \$1,493. Adding to this ground into the hypnotic state when excited by the would be a fair rental. In this inquiry there rent \$906, capitalization of the buildings most trivial influences. The andden lighting in the closest scrutiny late the differences at 15 years and 7 per cent would make \$5,341.70 of a dark-ned room, a loud note, a sadden still between the amounts cent in by the elements and dipitalization of the ground for the same ness after prolonged noise, the prackling of a from year to year and the amount assessed by period and rate would make \$14.171.72, or a total lighted match, or a breath of cold or wirm sir, the assessor. Secondly, having taken all the of 421.892.42. The third method consisted in con-Board next investigates the value of the buildings on the property, including and excluding annually, that is to say, a capital of \$21.328, ing cross-eyed," or gas ng at a bright object was foundation, taking tax entries, insurance policies. Now adding the amounts obtained under The condition of a self-hypomized subject was and any other trustworthy regord that bears on these three separate methods of computation tosted by commanding her to report a long the matter. Thirdly, the value of the bare and taking the mean this would give \$20.43 , the Latin notion of at breakf at a x morning. ground is looked into. Then, fourthly all the amount claimed which was certainly as reasonable, income are considered, such as taxes, fire in- could be a-ked. Hr. Palmer was then examined expense of collection of rent expenditure nec s- the a seasor while he was newy from the colony. sary to put buildings in proper condition to last and the Court then adjourned until Monday. the number of years allowed for in the capialication, and whotover other items each case may call for. Conions notes are taken by each member of the Board and by counsel on both

from any earns for human habitation, and that

owners were exempted from this deduction, yet

tappeared to him that the Board should have

en empowered to treat owners on the same

The first case taken up yesterday was claim No. 5, being Not.

56-60 SQUARE STREET. Ng Tou How claimed \$7,550 in respect of Nos. 56, 58 and 60 Square Street. Mr. C. D. Wilkinson represented the claiman The China Fire Insurance Co mortgagers of the property, were represented by Mr. J. Coughtrie, Secretary.

It appeared from the syld-nos of the claimant that he bought the p operty for 35 300 two years ago. One of the houses had since been burned down and another damaged. The three were en route to the North to take part in the war. the insurance company. He spent \$1,200 in

Witness -I should be satisfied if L get 86, 500, tered should be cancelled His Lordship-I dare say you would. Mr. R. K. Laigh gave bis valuation of the

property at \$7.185; exclusive of the 10 per cent Mr. J. B. Coughtrie-I lent \$4,000 on this property on the 3rd January, 1892. had you any valuation of the property made? -The matter was negotiated by Mr. Temlin

find the property was sold on 13th Decomber. 1836, for \$5,600; on the 4 h July, 1887, \$5,800; \$5 300. I looked at the building myself. According to what you aw, what was it worth? induce them to do so, so as to have the guilty I should value it at a little over 28,000.

What did you base your calculations upon ! The rentals were given to my office, when the application for mortgage was made, at \$711.60 per annum. Mr. l'omlin waited apon Mr. Chanman, the assessor, and found the assessed value of the property was \$640 per anount. The disoregancy between that and the rental return was very slight for Chinese property. You base \$6,000 on the rental of \$711.60 per THE COMMERCIAL IMPORTANCE

annum ?-No: on 28 10. You have had experience in valuing property what is the principle on which you go?-Ingetting at what would be a safe sum to lend I regains these rentalists yield as much again as the the following information: interest of the loss would come to. It depends

on circumstances Is that gross rental !- The not rental

how much would you lond on' it !- It would pay and it is as picturesque ag it is valuable as a interest on \$17,500 or \$18,000. You might lend | harbour. In the case of this property the houses were the very heart of the city, and most convenient valued at \$3,400 for insurance purpose by the for passenger or shipping purposes. So nucompany's surveyors and youde lust that from the | merona and uniformly deep are the finger-like last price at which the property changed hands; bights, bays, cover, and elongated arms of Port that leaves the foundations and the land alone Jag con, that the navies and commercial marine

the property at 71 per cent. To Mr. Wilkinson-We were not mked to convenient; the wharpes are good, but in some lend more in this case than \$4,000. If and you might have but more ?- Yes; we poor, and their management gather faulty, while

upou what the properly would fouch on a forced slovenly appearance at some of those places, To the Attorney General -I do not think 34 | Sydney it the metropolis of Australasia, being per cent, on the growrental would be enough for the terminus of all the ship lines of the conti

Hou. F. A. Cooper, who had personally in of trade. spected the property, estimated the present In actual recorded tonnage as antering and value at \$4,284, but in consideration of certain clearing the Australa in ports, Melbourns excircumstances hat offered 15:355.

be entitled to \$6 754, and in any event to returning to Europe. \$6 500, while the Government had off ged only. The value of the trade of the six leading British 34,349. Mr. Leight was then called as witness ports stands as follows:-London, £236,594,234; and said that he valued the property at \$6,140 Liverpool. \$223.261.488; Hull, \$47,831,467 plus 10 per cent. That the property was fully Sydney. £35,877745; Melbourne, £31,508,051; developed and in good condition. The ranks Glasgow £2,015,520 had been for 1892 \$510 - for 1 93 \$470; for The per capin trade of New South Wales. for 1894 \$470 | making a total for the three with the outside world in \$50, and the not per years of \$1,450, which liv dol by 3 would give capita wealth is about \$310, a greater per capita and the being slike. and aver you rental \$493.8 5 or for convenience trade and wealth than I enjoyed by any other any \$480, which capitalized would rive \$6 140, people. Victoria has a per cepital trade of £88, e said that the property had not depreciated and a per capita wealth of \$315.

mender Hastings, Lam Choi, a contractor, was stand that the Attorney General, in his opening had. The rent returned to the treasurer for augur. \$191,695; skin and hides. \$700,000; ore. specob, argued that the Lands Clauses Act was not 1894-1895 was \$578.40. Including rates. The 2933.991; lead, 22.019,997; silver, 295,000 Poor Act of 18:0, and he believed it was upon deducted from the \$578 40, would make about this Act the Taipingshan Resumption Ordin- \$387, and this, multiplied by 12, would give \$4 144 despery. £56.849 worth of iron and steel, and as the value of the houses, on the basis of the considerable trade in wines, New South Wales attention of the Board to the section of the home new Ordinance. The Government had off red doss not export any great quantity of mann Ast which dealt with compensation in respect of \$4.889. He considered the condition of the factured wares. nuisance. The learned Counsel also drew the The baseme to were dark, badly ventilated, and attention of the Board to the recital in the entered from a narrow lane, and and for human local Ordinance and the reason given therein for habitation. He also understood that some of the first cases of the plague were servied from magnetic fluid buran in 1779, and his method of these ve v busements. The buildings have treating disuse become at one very popular mess mine floors and cook-lofts. He said that he among certain people, although his theories and had calculated his valuation on the last routal practice were soon denounced by the Anademies return. Mr. A. Shelton Hooper was then colled of Sciences and of ledicine The first account and showed him method of arriving at the value of hypnotism by manipulation and besting b of the property, by which he made it over \$7,000. but he based the valuation on a higher rate than From 1784 autil 188!, states Dr. James Wair,

> tions made in the estimates of the others. The next oase taken up was that of Mr. C.

### CANTON NOTES.

PROM THE "CHUNG MGOL DAN PO." Fung Iss tooi, who was noted for his bravery in Toncin during the Franco-Chinese war and is now commander-in-chief of the land forces in Yunnan, has decided to take 20,000 men to the North. It is stated that he is n'w going to Nanking, where he will have an interview with Chang hih-tung, the Viceroy of Ling Kinng, and thenes will proceed to the front. Su Ya n-chan the commander of Kwange previues, arrived at Canton a few days ago paid his respents to the Vooroy de also is

other hand, report to the officials any attempts to France.

in the city for the protection of his Excellency.

# OF THE PORT OF SYDNEY.

In a recent report on the subject of the commercial importance of Sydney, Mr. G. W. Bell should ascertain the exact rentals I should the United States Consul at that port, supplies As a natural harbour, Port Jackeon is one the fin at on the globe. The entrace is from the rest, and ofter pasing Sydney Heads, a turn Any allowance for vacancies P-I would take towards the south-west is made, passing Middle. the rent book and see what the property had Head, about two thirds of a mile into Por

Jackgod proper, which is a perfectly land-looked Say a net rental of \$100 per month; what harbour. After a two mile stretch on another would you value a property as being worth !- I course, bearing duy west, the city wharves are would calculate upon how much it is worth to I reached, where the water is always as smooth as len Amoney apon whether I could entertain the a mountain lake. The form of the barbour i broken and peopliar. There are bights and Supplies it brought in a net rental of \$100; bays, and cover and nooks almost innumerable

The berthe for ships everywhere are very

indication insportity to goods.

occds Sylney, as in 1891 she had 4,362,138 tons, The second case taken up was that of Mr. | and Sydney 3,2:11.188 took; but Sydney being A. J. May in claims I and 13. He was repre- the terminus of all ship lines coming to the sented by Mr. C. D. Wilkinson. Basing his Australian continent, many vessels are counted claim on estimates made in a manner applogous as twice entering and twice clearing at Melto that used in the foregoing case, he claimed to bourne, as they call there coming from and

much. The Crown rent wat \$10; taxes \$62.88; As before remarked overy atountally line visit-

guarantee against abuse of the power. The process of the power of the

square foot, which would make \$2,619 for the £10,449,911; tin, \$339,315; timb .; £43,105;

With the exception of £139.2 8 worth of

## SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANT.

suggestion was given by De Paysegue in 178 per cent, and did not allow for certain deduc- Jr., "the science of hypnotism and the treat ment by suggestion was undergoing a slow evolution, which finally oulminuted in the work Palmer, represented by Mr. H. L. Dennya. Mr. of M. Charcot, who at last took this beneficis D move submitted three systems of determining | therepentie agent from the hands of charlatans the vilu tion, either one of which came out at and quacks, and placed it where if belongsabout the same figures, the amount of his claim. among the remedial agents of reputable coientific. The first was to calculate the value of the area physicians." Charcot found that favourable at 34.75 per square foot, which yielded \$13.770, bypnotic subjects -chicky women-are all and five buildings at \$1,305 each gave \$6.525. viotime of nervous disorder in some form or other making a total of \$20,295. The smount claimed Dr. W.irr gards hypocais as a state analogous was \$20.132. The second method was to use the to the "brown study," in which active consciousrental as a basis; five houses at \$28 would be \$140 ness is obtanded or salesp, but as au jutensified per month, dr \$1,680 per year. Deducting for form of abstraction in which active councious Crown rat \$12, insurance \$75, repairs \$100. ness has been easly overcome because weakened making a total of \$187, it would leave a not by neurotic degeneration. Many subjects full testimony available on the question of rental, the sidering the property as equivalent to du invest- influences are not alw ye necessary, as hysterical which she did accurately, though iguerant deductions that should be made from the gross from whatever standpoint one looked at it, as | Latin. Dr. Weir is conditent that the hypnotic stale mer be produced in the favorable sub ect surance, Crown rent, repairs and maintenance, us to some items concerning his rent returns to \_\_through sight, hearing, or touch \_\_in a variety of ways, but that all are devoid of magnetism or

> Observations and calcuta i me have led Mr. A Mollack to conclude that mande do not see well especially to a distance. Their composite age. however, has an advantage over the simple eye in the fact that there is hardly any practical limit in the neargest of objects it can examine. The best insect eye examined would give a p.o. ture about as good as if executed in rather coarse wool work, and viewed at a distance of a faut.

down and another damaged. The three were on routs to the North to take part in the war. Insured for \$2,400, and he received \$959 from With reference to the war look the look Router of decayed present, still absolute, and all the vicerous with Stand saids, for I am holier than thou?" It

Anhwei province by Li. Han-chang for the Gousage, is painted with several coats of allicate or degradation. barned as to drop to pieces in 10 minutes,

> The Bill entellite of Jupiter. whose discovery two years ago was one of the great astronomical events of the century, his been found by Prof. Barnard to be not brighter than the 18 h maggaitude, and to ha e a siderial period of 11h 57m: 22.818a. Its mean distance is 111.910

on Vesquins ordinarily around the mountain, but and descend during the period of volcanie ac-

The puzzle or letter look is said to have at

tracted much attention two centuries ago, being one of the oldest in Europ . It is a kind of keyless padlock, which often consisted of shroad steel rings four, five, or eight doon with the alphabet augraved upon mech, the whole being so arranged on a stool cylinder that they could be separated only when turned so that a partionlar word was formed by latters in a straight line. The word-selected from hundreds-was known only to the purchaser, and one not in the secret places of general discharge, the warehouses are in a new key for many looks. This is a marriel might. In making our calculations we calculate say a of loss of of damage are rare, yet there is a my be so arranged that one master key will single one or any desired series of the looks. in any required combination.

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orinees, ministers, gen rais, ocitivated gentry, with the Anglo Saxon one as I and in America, do not fight that no class is willing to tace in England, and the British colonies. I have the princes or the mandarius or the common models of virtue, having already affirmed my folk, willing to a stand. A Hofer is as wanting belief in the universal frailty of man, in which as an Arobduke Charles. Even fortifications - believe as firmly as in the nuiversal goodness of aniendid fortifications like those of Talienwan, women; but, List as a sin confessed is half armed with Krupp butt ries, which amand even atoped for, I claim that such vice as may exist the a monerors, give the Chinese so heart to re- -us does unfortunately exist -in France loves met, no impulse to strike one brave stroke for some of its uplinees by its refusal to masquerade their own safety. They are the most enduring of as virtue. To take the question of drink; for mankind, they care nothing about death, they night instance. France is a country where temperance among themselves with savage determination; but is properly understood where man uses and en-as against the foreign, invader they not only do joys the divine gift of wine with which a fertile nothing, but they make no effort to do anything. soil has supplied him, and he is not ashamed to What has happened to them? What makes the own it. . He nees and enjoye it, as becomes a officers ran first, and the soldiers throw away, man moderately. Temperance means moderatheir protecting rifles, and a man like Prince tion; and has never meant total abeliance. Kung, old in the tradition of absolutism, state | When a Frenchman takes his glas of wine, he of his own accord that without foreign interren- does so coram populo. When the Parisian takes tion Chine is "lost." It is easy to say all his absinthe (five Frenchmen outside of Paris do Chine e are cowards; but they fought fairly take it), he does not hide himself. He takes it well in 1860; they conquered the flores Mus | bu a table entaids the cufe, and, much as I deplore sulmans of Bishgar in 1879, when Yakoob the increasing consumption of this beverage, Bug fought them like a rat in a trap; bave never seen a Frenchman take it until be they drove back the Russians in 1881; and gets tipsy. only vesterday they harled picked Franch troops In the British colonies, at the hotels, you will down the frontier passes of Tookin. The see mon take tea or water with their meals. change is unjutellizable and it occurs just when That is what they do in the presence of their the vary exist-nos of the Empire is at stake, and fellow-creatures; but they spend the evening at in Northern China, where half the soldiers are the ber quietly, sadly imbibing whiskey till they of Tactar blook and where the population out are unable to get to their bedrooms unaided. ing giain is supposed to be far stordier than on In the prohibition States of America I have the vast deltas of the centre and south. It is seen men drink liquor, like castor oil, out of a

buy the whole budy of officials or all the or down in the cellar of the hotel. On one ocgenerals or Prince Kung, who of all men most casion it was sent to my bedroom carefully weapbe rampent, but it never goes quite to the bottom: and the absence of any guerilla leader is as noticeable as the reluctance of the generals drinking of spirits in this fashion is likely to do to take the most ordinary risks of their calling. | as much harm to a young man's moral character What can be the meaning of it all? The Mexi- as ever the dram itself could do to his body can and Peravian empires fell, but not without But this is always the attitude of Anglohard fighting; the Parter empire in Russia Saxon pharisaism; "Let us hide certain fell, but the spin of the Golden Horde were failings out of sight, and pretend to the at war with one another. The Mogal em- world that they do not exist, while we draw pire fell to pieces, but the fall had been pre-ceded by two generations of an anarchical civil conversion of the French." In this spirit Lon-From a recent German report, it appears that war. Chius has collapsed, while her army is in | don vaunts itself that it possesses no state-visited the quality of the food supply in Europe must be that; while her administration moves as smoothly houses of ill-fame, whilet, all the while its great much more a matter of doubt than in America. as ever; while her eighteen kingdom-like pro- West End thoroughfares are literally awarm-Of 37.233 food samples examined in Great Bri. vinces are all obeying any order issued to them ling with poor wrotched orestures from samet tain. 4.793 were condemned; and of 393 tested in from Peking in the name of the Son of Heaven. to early morn -a wig it unparalleled in the Holland in six mouths, not less than 148 were At the worst scene of all, the rejection of Major world. Whence this everyowering impulse to their francist agents or tactais. 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And finally it is easy to declare that for a multitude of size. Would you not be satisfied if you get your \$5,3009 charge praying that the bonds they had regi . Belgium this year here often proven to be un everybody is corrupt, and in a way it is true! Oh, my dear Angle Samon friends, do take it wong Chl. who was taken up to Cauton on a per cent of starch, suffron was centaminated in littury this of soldiers rations and pay, other people! Be a little modest. Fry to be dharge of kidnepping at Kowloon city the other with 5) per cent of heavy and these man arine chosen by competitive examination chosen by competitive examination conforted by the thought that product was mixed with meal turnerio, or said. these man arine competitive examination conforted by the thought that product was mixed with meal turnerio, or said. these man arine competitive examination conforted by the thought that product was mixed with meal turnerio, or said. the Nanhoi megistracy: He admitted that he At Berne, 6 out of 8 samples of cloves were the Imperial contracts, have at all events no wonderful achievements. You are little by little had been ordered by a man named Chan Lai- condemned, 12 out of 15 granned peppers, and 13 thing to gain, and all to lose, by the destruction toug to collect men or behalf of the Japanese out of 15 ground propers, and 13 thing to gain, and all to lose, by the destruction out of 19 saffrons. Here also were found artified their cornice. Filterers are not of necessarily surface of the earth. Do leave an something out of the persons had already been a cured. He was subsequently The chief adulteration reported by Wiley from contractors have been known, before now my absence. We don't call it a survey, but the executed on: the 26th least, and his head has the United States is honey, of which 45 per cart. Indeed, one can hardly one day we may have a little corner in the abode of splendii buttles. Indeed, one can hardly one day we may have a little corner in the abode of public. The Nauhoi magistrate has likewed a beaux-both whole and ground-were found, ex comowing a better road to power, which the seraphs. I know the West End and the East notice to inform the residents here that they tracted leaves redried were obtained from many, means in Ohina too often power to pillage. End of London; I have seen Argyle Street, in should not be foolishly induced by any parson samples of ten and copper in small amount was then to win a be the court is and the Canongste, in after the mortgage, to the present pussessor for or persons to leave their homes, but, on the detected in all cannot plant the Edinburgh, on Saturday nights; I have visited army now murching on Moukden or Newchwang, might plunder the empire to his heart's San Francisco; I have seen the gambling hells of

The deputy who was recently ordered to harmonic Society, according to Mr. F. H. of the Empress Mother without fear of rebute collection of 2,000 men returned to Canton two of node solution and a finishing coat of this | Wade, the best authority we have days ago. The men in distation will be divided substance and common whiting. Word an attributes the strange spectacle presented by form, immorality and rice are detectable, and I into two divisions, one being stationed at U ohu treated takes fire only when heated to destructive Uhina to the dominance of Confucianism . Conforts, near Whampad, and the other retained distillation. In a test of this method of protect- fucing held all violence to be highly unbecoming ing woodwork, some wooden screens painted as to the ideal character; and the Chinese acceptdescribed completely, resisted a fire of shavings | ing him as final authority have for generations for 30 minutes and still held together at the soud daspised soldiers and placed their reliance wholly of an hour, while untreated servens were so upon the civil virtues among which they reckon calm as one of the very highest. It is ungentleminly in Ohina to fight, and therefore says Sir T. Wade, the military organization never id, or can be made effective. That seems a reasounble explanation, but somebow it does not quite convince us. There is a deal of

human nature in Chinamen, and human nature even among gentle people like the Peruvians and Budget the foll wing lament over the dieay the Japa themselfes, is prone to give back blow of manners at the whist-table: - During the for blow. There is a kick in a Quaker if you past few years, many changes and reforms, Palmieri hus observed that the earth-currents prick bim too hard, as John Bright's friends perhaps not all of equal value, have teen well know. Besides, the court, though it is introduced into the game of whist, but there yet become irregular as an eruption is threaten d. Confucian, has bought ironclade; the Northern remains one which would render the game mire Chinese, though Confucian, fought us and the sujoyable, namely, a reform in the manners of French; and the Southern Chin se fought each whist players. The want of this reform is perhaps other in the Taiping War with desperate energy not felt to be so necessary in London clubs, as the and bokiness. The idea of a nation of philippo pumber of players in large, and public opinion is phers does not strike us as conceivably easily brought to hear on an offender against correct, though no doubt the Chinese civilization, the etiquatte of the game. Provincial clabs, with its dreadful crowding, and its ontire however, have suffered sever-ly from the illabsence of oursers for anybody who cannot pass instured and ill-mannered remarks of one or examinations, has developed anuthy into such a two of the babitual players. Whist has fallen feature in the national character, that it is ex into disrepute, and visitors will not join the remaid even in the national face All misfor ourd-tables when any difference of opinion as to tune is met by a kind of passive stolcish, and the play of a hand is expressed in a noisy or all energy is absorbed in the never ending ill-conditioned manner, or by a sneering remark struggle for comfortable existence. Still, the which is perhaps only and rated by a few of the might turn the rings for years without find Chiusman's apathy is not limitless, and did not habituse, but not by an honorary member, the ing the right word. The principle has been prevent two thousand men from dying at natural consequence being that the slubs suffer employed by M. Ch. Deny, a French inventor. Ping range round General Tso, and we financially, the receipts from the card-tables. should rather attribute the Chinese defeats to a baring in some instances fallen off as much as 25 complete less of confidence in all superiors. " Re per cent.
his sold may or he will sell me, or he will run." Remarks are often made during the play of a polock all, while other keys will open only a that is the hinese conviction about his superior hand, and should in the interests of all-lovers of A derived from a century of experience; and he the game have some penalty attached to them. large school near Paris has at least 250 locks, all consequently, when in the field, gives up at the It would be well if the committee of the Portof which are nolooked by the key of the director, beginning. No armed mob will fight without land and haldwin Clubs would consider what while a phambermaid's key unlocks only the doors leaders; and in the Chinese army the officers are. form such ponelty should take, or how otherwise of the professors chambers, and the key of each in a military sense, so muck worse than the man, to meet this growing swil.

professor ad nits bim only to his own from The that there are no leaders; and when a military sense, to ill conditioned remarks mechanism is simple, a sumber of ring shaped minest, the forcedissolves in the state of the last control of the key and tens of thousands of pooles in uniform who remark on every card he plays, say only as a might be made soldiers but are not. The ex | ray of ill-luck will very often turn him into a planation is plausible, but it is not perfectly con- sour-tempered samerer. The very hame of the vissing; for why should the officers to so bed? game implies that it should be played in and we are driven back upon dur original posi- silence. A nother objectionable player is the among certain tribes of Central destralia. They tion, a doubt whether it can all be true, who person who dopts certain wishness to atther paralysis is not a momentary shock, and tract the attention of his pariner or deceive feathers, with a comenting medium of hamin whether we shall not see oven now a sudden his adversaries. Perhaps it is amploying breaking of the spell a sudden decision in some an exphenism to call such conduct "manmaker, by the authorized gents is obtaining one general or prince to make a stubborn fight periam when a bareber form would be more suitable reverything by able. It may be as well at this point to meet a blood revenge, and to diagrains tracks when wife. One such fight would alter everything by able. It may be as well at this point to meet a hunting; and it is suggested that their purpose is impossible, is to say that the Chinese and unit minds (1) Why do you play with a man whose the direction of typyel by the wearer, the head like all other haman beings They may be, for language or manner is open to objection Plane an yet all the widence points to that conclusion; answer being : Because in a limited and unless the Japanese are well assured pfortheir out must out jute the table of which he play In the Lundon Zoological Garden, a box one imparatoners, they will do well to make price ing and he may cut in o that at which rounte

than the members of w Chinese ? Hony. Yet forent that is all-different in its ways, in its thomselves, and heretofore regarded by them [immoral than another, it is imprely different almost with contampt. The Mexicans and Peru- in its way of showing its virtues and hidvians who fied before a few Spaniards thought ing its vioce. Nations are like individuals a in illusion, turned on them and died is great heaps, in their immorality they are sly, ngly, unclean, fighting a hopeless battle. The Chinese do not above board, honest, picturesque, coarse, refined.

easy again, to imagine reachery, but everybody little graduated glass in the drug stores. Everycould not be translerous. The Japanese have, body in America knows that this is so. Once a we dare say, bought information from very day, after lecturing, I take a little stimulant, a great officials, and even within the palace glass of hot grog. In the prohibition Blates itself; but they have not the means to had to take it behind the counter of a chemist, tore as before." This is truly adifying ! It seems to me that the sly obtaining and

every part of the globe. It would really be so kind the diver of Chicago, the dean of New York and The splendid half of the Liverpool Phile content, might accumulate a fortune like that Denver and the rest. I have seen Paris in all its nocks and corners, and I really cannot make up my mind that Angio-Saxon land scores in the comparison. Everywhere, in every shape or condone them neither in the French nor in the Angle-Saxon To show that, when the Frenchman is immoral, be is not more so than the Angle Saxin. To show that, when the e recohman is immoral, he is not more so than the Angle-Sazon, but differently so, is the only aim of these remarks.

# MANNERS AT THE WHIST TABLE.

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many luntanees is would be difficult to prove that the "mannelism" was adopted with a deliberate intention to obtain an unfair advantage, and the complaining would then find blusself in an unpleasant position, and perhaps defending an action for defamation of character. It must be borne in mind that many porfect.y honourable gentlemen have become infected with the mannerisms of those with whom they have been accustomed to play, and are quite unaware of the fact, and who would be shocked at theides of obtaining any advantage therefrom. In addition to those mannerisms which have been adopted with a view to personal benefit there are On LOHDON. those which tell seriourly against the person who hasadopted them. Such, for instance, anshrugging your shoulders and putting your cards on the table with a realgned air, and proceeding to shuffle the other pack when you have a bad hand—or throwing yourself back in your obsir in contradistinction to sitting up very straight when you have a good hand, to. Anyone with the slight. est observation will be able to tell, if he plays frequently with such impulsive persons, whether

before the committee of your club? Because

play accordingly. It must be very unpleasant for even a thickekinned "Mannerist" to get such an answer as such an one once received: "Why, partner, On HOMBAY,d you not return me a spade, when you must have known that I held the best of that suit ?" and not by your play!" A Lock on Whiat Telegraphic I Players, their Lauguage and Customs, if written by a competent person, would be instructive ON SHANGRALreading, and amusing to those who did not find themselves " pilloried."

their hands are good or had, and pan regulate his

### QUICK-FIRING GUNS.

It will be remembered (says the Pall Mall ful quick-firing armament on dur old as well as our new yearels, to as to effectually bring them up to date, se far as it would be possible to do ! ap. Under the heading " A Great Naval Need." the Times last week published an article dealing with this question, and, as a proof of the urgency of the matter, gave, figures showing the inferiority in quick-firing armament of our Mediterraneun fleet to the French equadron in those waters. By their close attention to this Brown & Co., H. G. question of armament the Ereach have managed Campbell, Moorea Co to keep many of their oldest men of war, such me China Borneo. the Fulminant (1577), the Grean (1864), the Tem- China Sugar pele [1876], &o , in a state of far prester efficiency Chinese Loan '86 E. as fighting machines than our more modern Dakin, Cruicks k&C. Agamemnon (1883), Alexandra (1877), or Belleisle Dairy Farm Co. ..... (1878). As regards speed and defensive armour the above British ships may have very slightly H. Brick & Coment. the best of it, but any advantage goined here is H. A. C. Bakery ...... much more than compensated for by their marked Hongkong & C. Gas. inferiority in offensive armament. Though we Hongkong Electric... own a number of the finest war vessels in the H.H. L. Tramways... world, yet we continue to camber our " Navy Hongkong Ice...... List" with an extraordinary number of ut- H. & K. Wharf & G. terly useless craft, on the maintenance of Hongkong Rope ..... which large sums are annually spent. Very H. & W. Dock ...... many of these ships are perfectly sound in their "lotelsballs, and if provided with a modern quick-firing ! armament could be made into very neeful vessels: but as it is the money spent on them is uttacly wasted. The Monarch, to which we recently alluded, is a case to point. The Northumberland also has been got ready for commission, which must have cost a certain amount of money; yet it is doubtful whether she could steam 10 knots under any circumstances, and she carries so much top-hamper in the way of masts and yards as to be utterly out of date in this respect alone; her main armament consists of twenty-seven massle-leading guns, her quickfiring armament of six 4.7 inch, and ten 3 pounders, so that it is easy to see that her guns are in the main as obsolete as her rig and her single-screw engines. Under the circumstances it is impossible to see what advantage is gained by keeping her ready for sea and we regard it as perfectly preposterous that abe, with the Black Prince, Achilles. Agincourt, Minetaur, &c., all the lamest of lame ducks, should be classed as first-class armoured cruisers.

### ANCIENT THEORIES OF SANITATION.

It is difficult to account for the universal prejudice against night air which has pervaded all ages un il close upon our own times. No single instance can be quoted of a medical writer risinc anjuriar to this carlons delusion. The dread teristic of all the olden authorities on health, and Older Malwa \$710 to no feature of quackery was more severely our Oldest Malwa \$720 0 to demned than an occasional ecceptric recommends. Patna (New) ...... \$8474 per chest tion of its value. The difficulty of obtaining it | Benares (New) ......\$8874 pure and appolluted may partly account for the bad reputation of cold water. Board- is decided ly of opinion that water, cool by itself, is not wholesome for an Englishman; he recommends as about the best "running water, the which doth swiftly flow from east to west upon stones or pelbles." Sir William Vaughan, in bis " Natural and Artificial Directions for Health," has also strong views on the water question. He deems it better on elev than on stone, and lost wholesome in summer. Emphatically ought seldom to be drunk" If compelled to drink water, "see that you It gently first." If putrid revive it with oil of sulphur or squa vi'm Perhaps the strongest anti-water outhority is I homas Cogan, head. master of Manchester Grammar School, who wrote The Haven of Health." He quotes dries. an opinion of Eliat's that water if used for a obild may be a barmless and even a sufficient ber :- For Continent-272 bales raw silk, 1 bale drink; but he is very certain that men by nature waste ailk, 10 cases silk piece woods, 40 cases are wine drinkers, "except some old abstemious essential oil, 40 cases bristles, 2 cases piece one among a thousand perchance, degenerate paper, 125 cases starsuisted, 250 cases carein, 1 and of a dorgish mature, for dogs of nature do cases signre, 1 case China ink, 131 boxes tes, abbor wine."-Hospital.

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The British steamer Orono, from Otara 20th Th. Dec., experienced flue weather except latter end I. of passage, strong mosso n and hasy weather.

The British steamer Pakshan, from Bangkok 16th Dec., had mod rate A.E. wind to Palo Panjang; thence strong mon-oon with very high sea, CRINA COAST METBURY LINE REGISTER, and dull rainy weather to port.

The British steamer Hailoong, from Tament 26th Dec., and Amoy 27th, experienced moderate N.E. monsoon and cloudy weather to Amoy. from thence experienced strong E.N.E. monsoon and thick rainy weather throughout. Steamers in Amoy:-Thales, Shengui, and Cheang Hock

The British steamer Namoa, from Foothow 25th Dec., Amoy 26th, and Swatow 27th, experienced light monsoon antil reaching Swatow; thence experienced dull and overcast weather, with showers of light rain from port to port. Steamers in Amoy:—Tungchow, Haitan, Siehan, Kidong-mo, and Cheung Hock Kian. In Swatow:

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The steamer Chelydra, from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Thursday the 20th inst., at 4 p.m. The steamer Lightning, from al utta, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of the

The C. P. steamer Empress of China, arrived at Kobe at 8.30 p.m. on the 27th inst, and left again at 10 p.m. for Hongkong via Nagasaki and Shangkai.

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or about the 30th inst. The D. D. R. steamer Lawang, from Hamburg, left Singapore, for this port on the 24th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 31st inst. the steamer Arroyo left Singapore on the 25th inst, and may be expected here on the 2nd

The P. L.O. sleamer Java left Singapore for NEW POWERFUL MINING this port on the 5th inst, at 6 a m. The N. P. steamer Victoria, left Tacoma on the 12th inst. for Hongkong via Jepan ports. The P. & O. steamer Coulon left Bombay for this port on the 22nd inst. The Cine Mutual steamer Colong, from Gleagrow and Liverpool, passed the trausi on the afternoon of the 18th mat, and may be considered due at Singapore on er about the 6th

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For Heihow and Haiphong.-Per Ask, today, the 29th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Nagasaki. Kobe, and Yokobama.-Per Breconshire, to-day, the 29th inst., at 11.30 A M. For Fort Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville. Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne. -Per Menmuir, to-day, the 29th inst., at 1.90 P.M. For Kobe and Yokohama,-Per Strathesis, to-

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to-day, the 29th inst., at 5.00 P M. For Singapore, Samarang, and Sonrabaya.---Per Ardgay, on Monday, the 31st inst., at 3.30 For Shanghai. Per Forkeang, on Monday, the Slatinat, at 3 30 P.M. For Shanghai and Chefoo.—Per Knongeang, on Monday, the 31st inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokehama Victoria. B.U. and Tacoma. -Per Sikh, on Tuesday, the

let Junuary, at 9.00 A.M.; For Naguaki, Kobe, and Tokobama. Per Verono, on Friday, the 4th Jan. at 11.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Peninsuler, will be despatched on THURSDAY, the Se Jan. with Mails for the United Kingdom faurope, and, countries beyond, via Brinder, to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands Incia, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Giornitar. "The usual hours will be observed in closing

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onlars osseed. (Prices Carrent and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are blod in bundles country by country, with the addresses all one way. 10.00 A.M.-Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns coases. 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes.

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The Canadia Mail Packet Empress of China will be despatched on WEDN SDAY. 12. Canadian Pacific Rail: 64 - Kennedy, J., Horse the 23rd January, with Mails for Shanghai, 3.—Jantio, Dr., Pent Ha.—Da Canseway Bay Japan, the United States, Canada, &c., which Hospital

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'A gents. Hongkong, 22ad December, 1894. TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARG ) EX O. S. S. CO.'S SS. "TELAMON." FROM LIVERPOOL

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. as. "Breconshire," ... FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, CONDON, AND STRAITS.

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Hongkong, 26th December, 1894. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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